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1987 LMR Index - list of articles published in the 1987 issues of The Labor Market Report Tennessee.

Tennessee Annual Averages 1983-1987 - annual average labor force estimates and annual average nonagricultural wage and salary employment by industry.

February 1988

1983-1987 Annual Average Comparisons for Tennessee's Five Metropolitan Statistical Areas - annual average labor force estimates and annual average nonagricultural wage and salary employment by industry.

The New Immigration Law

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Nonagricultural Employment Growth in Tennessee - compares Tennessee's nonagricultural job growth with the U.S. and selected states.

Employment Growth by County, 1980-1986

Growth in Active Firms by County, 1980-1986

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1986 Per Capita Personal Income - for the U.S., Tennessee, Metropolitan Statistical Areas, and counties.

May 1988

Full-time Versus Part-time Employment: 1987 Annual Averages - compares civilian employed persons by full- and part-time status for states.

Determining the Labor Force Status of the Population - a flow chart.

June 1988

Update on the Consumer Expenditure Survey - covers the two components (the Interview Survey and the Diary Survey) of the Consumer Expenditure Survey.

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July 1988

Tennessee's Unemployment Insurance System
Unemployment Insurance Experience Rating
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August 1988

Average Annual Pay by State and Industry, 1987
Growth in Tennessee - estimates of population and the number of
households from July 1, 1981, to July 1, 1987.

September 1988

Per Capita Income and Population, by States and Regions, 1982 and
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Labor Surplus Areas - eligible areas for federal procurement preference
from October 1, 1988, through September 30, 1989.

October 1988

1987 Population Estimates by County.

November 1988

Tennessee Population Projections by Age and Sex: 1990, 2000, and
2010.
States Ranked by Population Size: 1986, 1990, 2000, and 2010.

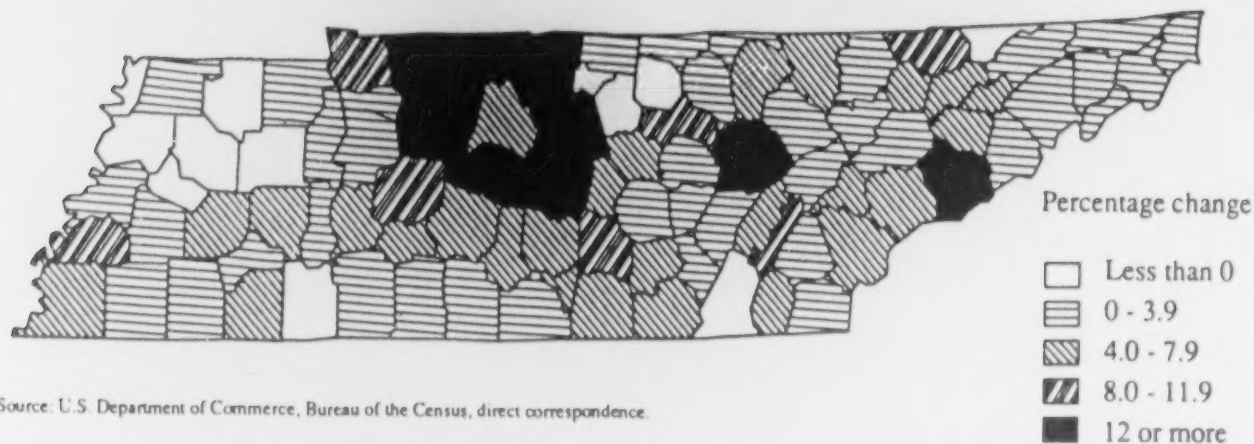
December 1988

New Method for Monthly Estimation of State Employment and
Unemployment.
Tennessee Surpasses the Nation's Job Growth Rate - according to data
contained in the Tennessee Employment Projections 1985-
1995 publication.
Tennessee's Nonagricultural Employment Growth from December 1987
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COUNTY UNEMPLOYMENT RATES

COUNTY	JANUARY		COUNTY	JANUARY	
	1989	1988		1989	1988
ANDERSON	6.4	4.0	LAUDERDALE	8.4	7.4
BEDFORD	7.0	5.8	LAWRENCE	11.3	8.9
BENTON	7.6	8.1	LEWIS	9.1	7.7
BLED SOE	5.9	5.9	LINCOLN	6.4	5.3
BLOUNT	10.1	5.6	LOUDON	6.2	5.5
BRADLEY	6.1	5.9	MCMINN	7.2	6.5
CAMPBELL	13.7	10.9	MCNAIRY	11.4	10.3
CANNON	8.3	7.9	MACON	8.2	8.5
CARROLL	9.2	10.5	MADISON	6.0	5.7
CARTER	8.1	7.2	MARTIN	11.6	9.1
CHEATHAM	4.6	4.1	MARSHALL	4.7	7.3
CHESTER	5.4	6.5	MAURY	6.8	6.8
CLATBORNE	8.9	8.5	MEIGS	13.9	10.8
CLAY	5.3	4.3	MONROE	8.7	7.7
COCKE	20.1	17.0	MONTGOMERY	6.2	5.3
COFFEE	6.6	6.1	MOORE	5.8	5.2
CROCKETT	9.0	8.2	MORGAN	7.4	10.2
CUMBERLAND	11.8	9.8	OBION	6.6	6.0
DAVIDSON	4.1	3.4	OVERTON	11.1	10.0
DECATUR	9.8	8.7	PERRY	5.7	7.1
DEKALB	7.8	6.9	PICKETT	13.7	13.4
DICKSON	8.0	7.6	POLK	12.6	17.7
DYER	7.2	7.3	PUTNAM	6.8	5.7
FAYETTE	7.4	8.0	RHEA	10.1	9.9
FENTRESS	12.2	12.7	ROANE	6.3	5.2
FRANKLIN	6.4	5.8	ROBERTSON	6.3	5.6
GIBSON	7.3	8.0	RUTHERFORD	4.7	4.1
GILES	8.9	8.0	SCOTT	13.5	13.9
GRAINGER	8.7	8.3	SEQUATCHIE	8.0	6.5
GREENE	10.3	12.8	SEVIER	19.7	18.6
GRUNDY	9.9	9.2	SHELBY	5.2	4.6
HAMBLEN	7.1	6.8	SMITH	8.5	6.9
HAMILTON	5.5	4.4	STEWART	9.3	7.4
HANCOCK	5.1	6.6	SULLIVAN	4.8	5.4
HARDEMAN	7.5	9.3	SUMNER	5.7	4.9
HARDIN	10.5	10.4	TIPTON	7.1	6.2
HAWKINS	6.8	6.8	TROUSDALE	5.4	4.8
HAYWOOD	9.1	8.7	UNICOI	7.7	8.7
HENDERSON	8.8	9.1	UNION	8.5	6.1
HENRY	8.9	12.1	VAN BUREN	9.1	7.3
HICKMAN	8.8	7.0	WARREN	7.8	6.5
HOUSTON	12.4	10.8	WASHINGTON	6.1	5.3
HUMPHREYS	14.8	13.9	WAYNE	10.4	9.3
JACKSON	10.0	7.3	WEAKLEY	5.0	4.4
JEFFERSON	7.9	7.7	WHITE	7.4	6.7
JOHNSON	23.5	13.9	WILLIAMSON	3.7	3.1
KNOX	5.2	3.8	WILSON	5.6	5.9
LAKE	12.7	10.2			

Percentage Population Increase in Tennessee Counties, 1980-1987
(Tennessee percentage increase = 5.7)



Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, direct correspondence.

TENNESSEE POPULATION GROWTH RANKS SIXTH IN THE SOUTHEAST

Tennessee ranks sixth in population growth among the 12 southeastern states. The July 1, 1988, estimate for Tennessee was 4,919,000, an increase of 7.1 percent over 1980 and 3.2 percent over the 1985 estimate. The five Atlantic Coast states, Florida, Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Virginia, had higher growth rates than Tennessee. However, six other southeastern states grew more slowly. West Virginia was the only southeastern state to lose population between 1980 and 1988. West Virginia, Kentucky, and Louisiana showed population declines from 1985 to 1988.

1988 POPULATION ESTIMATES
(Numbers in thousands)

State	1988	1985	1980	Percentage Change	
				1985-88	1980-88
Florida	12,377	11,369	9,746	8.9	27.0
Georgia	6,401	5,976	5,463	7.1	17.2
Virginia	5,996	5,705	5,347	5.1	12.1
South Carolina	3,493	3,334	3,122	4.8	11.9
North Carolina	6,526	6,258	5,882	4.3	11.0
Tennessee	4,919	4,767	4,591	3.2	7.1
Alabama	4,127	4,022	3,894	2.6	6.0
Arkansas	2,422	2,360	2,286	2.6	6.0
Louisiana	4,420	4,484	4,206	-1.4	5.1
Mississippi	2,627	2,614	2,521	0.5	4.2
Kentucky	3,721	3,724	3,661	-0.1	1.6
West Virginia	1,884	1,936	1,950	-2.7	-3.4

Source: Tennessee State Data Center Newsletter, January 1989, Volume 6, Number 2.

TENNESSEE CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE SUMMARY

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)

	January 1988				Revised December 1988				Preliminary January 1989			
	Labor Force	Employment	Unemploy.	Rate	Labor Force	Employment	Unemploy.	Rate	Labor Force	Employment	Unemploy.	Rate
U. S. ^{1/}	119,742,000	112,139,000	7,603,000	6.3	122,120,000	115,978,000	6,142,000	5.0	122,095,000	114,786,000	7,309,000	6.0
TENNESSEE ^{2/}	2,317,400	2,182,200	135,200	5.8	2,344,800	2,216,700	128,100	5.5	2,342,900	2,190,000	152,900	6.5
METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS												
CHATTANOOGA	208,100	196,900	11,200	5.4	215,200	203,900	11,300	5.3	213,400	200,900	12,500	5.9
JOHNSON CITY, KINGSPORT, AND BRISTOL	213,000	199,600	13,400	6.3	221,200	209,900	11,300	5.1	213,400	201,000	12,400	5.8
KNOXVILLE	280,200	264,100	16,100	5.7	281,000	262,300	18,700	6.7	283,400	261,800	21,600	7.6
MEMPHIS	433,200	411,400	21,800	5.0	451,400	429,300	22,100	4.9	443,800	419,000	24,800	5.6
NASHVILLE	518,600	497,600	21,000	4.0	509,700	488,800	20,900	4.1	517,300	493,400	23,900	4.6

^{1/} Error range for these estimates is plus or minus 0.2 percentage points.

^{2/} Error range for these estimates cannot be computed.

Tennessee's preliminary unemployment rate for January at 6.5 percent is one percentage point higher than the December rate of 5.5 percent. The unemployment rate traditionally goes up from December to January because of seasonal shifts experienced after the holidays. On a ten-year comparison the rate usually increases by one percent, as it did this year.

The national unemployment rate also increased by one percentage point from December at 5.0 percent to January at 6.0 percent.

The January 1988 unemployment rate was 5.8 percent, seven-tenths of a percentage point lower than this January. January 1989 showed 25,500 more people in the civilian labor force than in January 1988. The growth in the labor force outpaced the employment growth and as a result unemployment increased.

Nonagricultural job growth, which is employment by place of work, showed an increase of 41,500 jobs, a 2.1 percent growth rate, from January 1988 to January 1989. Manufacturing employment increased by 5,900 jobs, but most of the increase occurred in nonmanufacturing

employment which increased by 35,600. The largest percent increases were reported in services (+3.8 percent); retail trade (+2.4 percent); and transportation, communication, and public utilities (+4.7 percent). These increases were offset by declines in federal government (-3.9 percent), apparel products (-3.4 percent), and textile mill products (-2.0 percent).

On a month-to-month comparison from December to January, total nonagricultural employment decreased by 33,400 jobs to 2,052,500. Major decreases were experienced in areas affected by seasonal changes with a loss of 13,700 jobs in trade; 6,700 jobs in services; and 6,200 jobs in construction.

Statewide, the unemployment rate increased in 85 counties, decreased in nine counties, and remained the same in one county. Williamson County at 3.7 percent, up from December's 2.7 percent, continued to have the lowest unemployment rate in the state. Johnson County at 23.5 percent, up from 18.0 percent last month, recorded the state's highest unemployment rate due to small layoffs in various businesses.

STATEWIDE

ESTIMATED NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT (in thousands) *

INDUSTRY	JANUARY 1988	DECEMBER 1988	JANUARY 1989	Net Change		
				JAN 1988	DEC 1988	JAN 1989
				to JAN 1989	to JAN 1989	to JAN 1989
TOTAL	2011.0	2085.9	2052.5	41.5	-33.4	-33.4
Manufacturing	902.9	911.3	908.8	5.9	-2.5	-2.5
Durable Goods	246.9	253.7	253.0	6.1	-0.7	-0.7
Lumber & Wood Products	19.9	19.7	19.8	-0.1	0.1	0.1
Furniture & Fixtures	25.7	28.2	28.2	2.5	0.0	0.0
Stone, Clay, Glass, & Concrete	14.8	15.2	14.9	0.1	-0.3	-0.3
Primary Metal Industries	15.3	15.7	15.6	0.3	-0.1	-0.1
Fabricated Metal Products	41.8	42.2	42.0	0.4	-0.2	-0.2
Machinery, Except Electrical	38.8	37.8	37.9	1.3	-0.1	-0.1
Electrical & Electronic Machinery	37.1	39.1	38.9	1.8	-0.2	-0.2
Transportation Equipment	34.6	33.8	33.8	-0.8	0.0	0.0
Instruments & Related Products	9.3	10.0	9.9	0.6	-0.1	-0.1
Miscellaneous Manufacturing	11.9	12.0	11.9	0.0	-0.1	-0.1
Nondurable Goods	256.0	257.6	255.8	0.2	-1.8	-1.8
Food & Kindred Products	38.5	40.3	39.6	1.1	-0.7	-0.7
Meat Products	7.9	8.8	8.8	0.9	0.0	0.0
Dairy Products	2.8	2.7	2.7	-0.1	0.0	0.0
Tobacco Manufactures	1.9	1.7	1.8	-0.1	0.1	0.1
Textile Mill Products	24.0	22.2	22.0	-2.0	-0.2	-0.2
Knitting Mills	11.8	10.9	10.9	-0.9	0.0	0.0
Yarn & Thread Mills	3.1	2.5	2.5	-0.6	0.0	0.0
Apparel Products	98.8	84.1	83.4	-3.4	-0.7	-0.7
Paper & Allied Products	18.3	19.2	19.1	0.8	-0.1	-0.1
Printing, Publishing, & Allied Indus	34.3	35.8	35.6	1.3	-0.2	-0.2
Chemicals & Allied Products	37.8	38.4	38.4	0.6	0.0	0.0
Petroleum Refining & Related Indus	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0
Rubber & Miscellaneous Plastics	24.3	25.2	25.4	1.1	0.2	0.2
Leather & Leather Products	9.3	10.0	9.7	0.4	-0.3	-0.3
Nonmanufacturing	1508.1	1574.6	1543.7	35.6	-30.9	-30.9
Mining	6.5	6.5	6.3	0.2	-0.2	-0.2
Construction	85.8	93.4	87.2	1.6	-6.2	-6.2
Trans., Communication, & Utilities	105.2	110.4	110.1	4.9	-0.3	-0.3
Trade	475.6	498.5	484.6	9.2	-13.7	-13.7
Wholesale Trade	120.8	122.1	121.5	0.7	-0.6	-0.6
Wholesale Durable Goods	68.9	70.3	70.2	1.3	-0.1	-0.1
Wholesale Nondurable Goods	51.8	51.8	51.3	0.5	-0.5	-0.5
Retail Trade	354.8	378.4	383.3	8.5	-13.1	-13.1
Building Materials & Garden Supp.	13.9	14.0	14.0	0.1	0.0	0.0
General Merchandise Stores	54.3	60.1	54.7	0.4	-5.4	-5.4
Food Stores	61.8	63.1	62.9	1.1	-0.2	-0.2
Automotive Dir. & Serv. Stations	41.0	42.2	41.7	0.7	-0.5	-0.5
Apparel & Accessory Stores	20.4	22.0	21.0	0.6	-1.0	-1.0
Furniture & Home Furnishings	14.0	14.1	13.9	0.1	-0.2	-0.2
Eating & Drinking Places	108.2	118.8	114.2	6.0	-4.6	-4.6
Miscellaneous Retail	41.2	42.0	40.9	-0.3	-1.1	-1.1
Finance, Insurance, & Real Estate	101.2	104.6	104.4	3.2	-0.2	-0.2
Banking	28.1	29.5	29.6	1.5	0.1	0.1
Insurance Carriers	24.5	24.4	24.4	-0.1	0.0	0.0
Services	408.6	432.0	425.3	15.7	-6.7	-6.7
Hotels & Other Lodging	28.3	28.4	28.9	0.6	-1.5	-1.5
Personal Services	28.3	28.6	28.3	2.0	-0.3	-0.3
Business Services	88.2	92.8	90.1	1.9	-2.7	-2.7
Health Services	134.7	141.1	141.3	6.6	0.2	0.2
Hospitals	84.8	87.9	88.0	3.2	0.1	0.1
Government	324.5	329.1	325.8	1.1	-3.5	-3.5
Federal	84.5	80.6	80.6	-3.9	0.0	0.0
State & Local	280.0	288.5	285.0	5.0	-3.5	-3.5
State	72.3	74.8	74.1	1.8	-0.7	-0.7
Local	187.7	193.7	190.9	3.2	-2.8	-2.8

*Data includes all full and part time nonagricultural wage and salary employees who worked during, or received pay for, any part of the pay period which includes the 12th of the month. This is a count of jobs by place of work. Agricultural workers, proprietors, self-employed persons, workers in private households, and unpaid family workers are excluded.

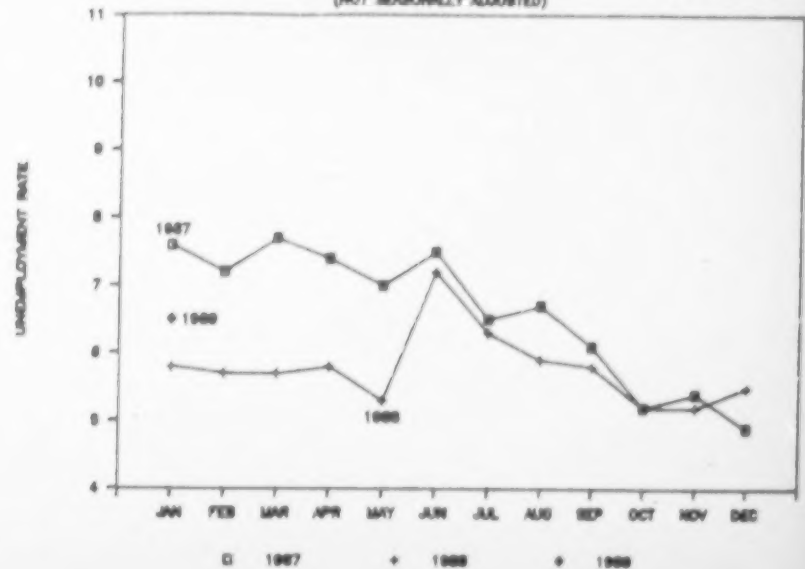
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HOURLY AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS

	Average Weekly Earnings			Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings		
	Jan. 1988	Dec. 1988	Jan. 1989	Jan. 1988	Dec. 1988	Jan. 1989	Jan. 1988	Dec. 1988	Jan. 1989
	1988	1988	1989	1988	1988	1989	1988	1988	1989
All Manufacturing	379.53	390.08	374.33	42.9	42.4	41.0	8.83	9.20	9.13
Durable Goods	411.26	419.24	404.75	43.2	43.4	41.9	9.52	9.66	9.64
Lumber & Wood Products	244.11	253.68	243.90	39.5	39.7	38.9	6.18	6.39	6.27
Furniture & Fixtures	291.51	339.40	299.54	39.5	42.8	38.8	7.38	7.93	7.72
Stone, Clay, Glass, & Conc.	527.35	592.41	586.39	42.7	46.5	44.9	12.35	12.74	13.06
Primary Metal Industries	510.40	517.25	492.86	44.0	44.9	43.5	11.60	11.52	11.33
Fabricated Metal Products	417.35	425.80	426.62	42.5	42.2	41.5	9.82	10.09	10.28
Machinery	414.82	408.75	387.50	44.7	43.3	41.4	9.28	9.44	9.36
Instruments & Related Prod.	418.13	408.59	399.83	44.2	43.1	42.9	9.46	9.48	9.32
Nondurable Goods	347.78	358.90	343.66	41.8	41.3	40.1	8.32	8.69	8.57
Food & Kindred Products	361.24	349.38	338.08	42.7	41.2	40.2	8.46	8.48	8.41
Textile Mill Products	289.65	295.00	303.14	42.1	40.3	41.3	6.86	7.32	7.34
Apparel Products	213.71	219.63	215.22	38.3	38.6	37.3	5.58	5.69	5.77
Paper & Allied Products	536.61	562.13	538.41	46.5	47.8	45.9	11.54	11.76	11.73
Chemical & Allied Prod.	480.57	504.84	491.91	43.1	42.0	41.9	11.15	12.02	11.74
Rubber & Misc. Plastics	462.68	468.41	423.52	46.5	43.9	41.4	9.95	10.67	10.23
Leather & Leather Products	232.97	251.43	253.44	38.7	40.7	39.6	6.02	6.19	6.40

TENNESSEE UNEMPLOYMENT RATES 1987-1989

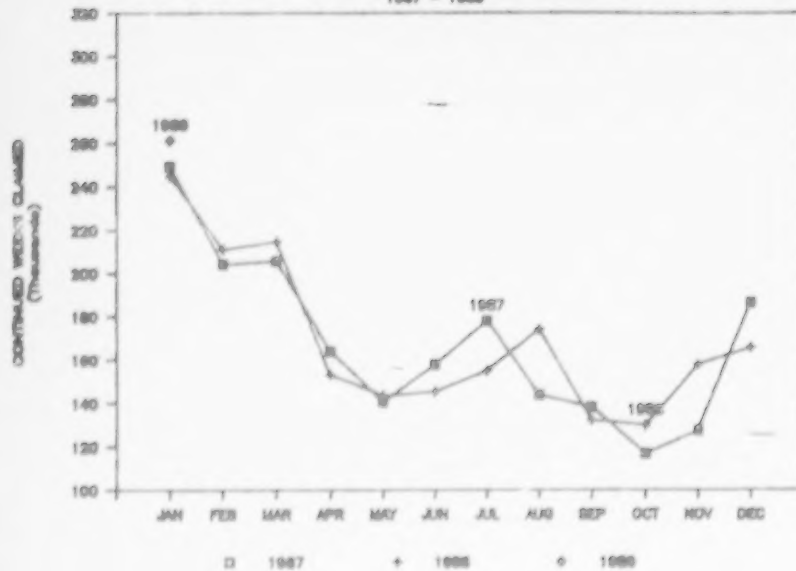
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STATE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE ACTIVITIES

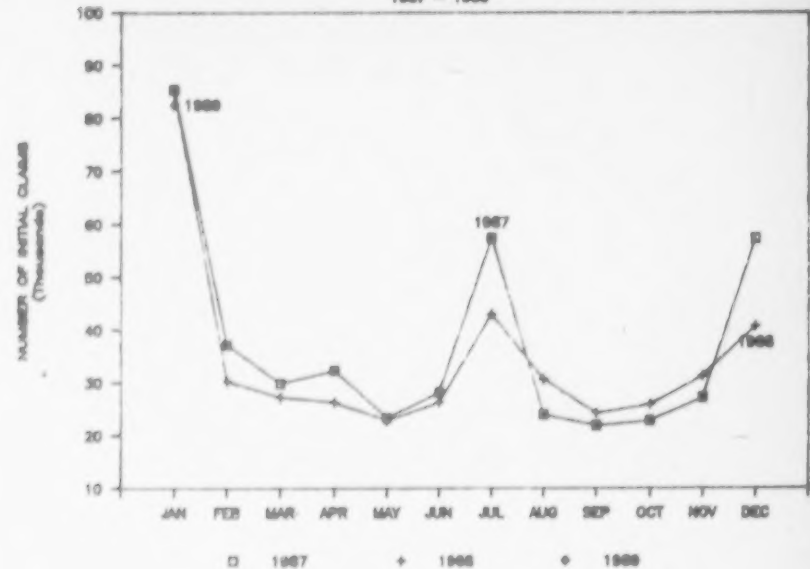
MONTHLY UI WEEKS CLAIMED

1987 - 1988



MONTHLY INITIAL UNEMPLOYMENT CLAIMS

1987 - 1988



STATE BENEFIT PROGRAM

CLAIMS	January 1988	December 1988	January 1989
Initial Claims	85,105	40,763	82,625
Continued Weeks Claimed	245,168	165,789	261,469
Nonmonetary Determinations	3,301	3,551	4,002
Appeals Decisions	1,056	1,097	1,228
Lower Authority	802	916	940
Higher Authority	254	181	288
Hearings-Other States	0	0	0
BENEFITS			
Amount Paid	\$19,233,859	\$14,718,688	\$21,519,726
Benefit Weeks Paid	192,551	140,417	206,168
Average Weekly Benefit Amount	\$ 104	\$ 107	\$ 107
First Payments	33,923	13,923	30,737
Final Payments	3,107	2,921	3,315
Average Weeks Duration	11	11	12
Trust Fund Balance	\$481,962,740	\$567,184,583	\$555,816,835

FEDERAL BENEFIT PROGRAMS

	January 1988	December 1988	January 1989
FORMER FEDERAL EMPLOYEES:			
Benefits Paid	\$680,687	\$1,627,762	\$1,944,418
Benefit Weeks Paid	3,849	10,093	11,587
Initial Claims	584	689	739
Continued Weeks Claimed	4,196	9,820	11,886
Appeals Decisions	11	13	21
FORMER MILITARY PERSONNEL:			
Benefits Paid	\$187,316	\$157,465	\$205,149
Benefit Weeks Paid	1,392	1,103	1,438
Initial Claims	286	236	280
Continued Weeks Claimed	1,387	1,211	1,608
Appeals Decisions	8	5	5

CHATTANOOGA MSA

Total nonagricultural employment in the Chattanooga MSA decreased by 1,400 jobs to 198,300 from December 1988 to January 1989. This figure was 7,900 greater than the January 1988 level of 190,400. Manufacturing employment remained stable over the month at 47,600 with no industry reporting a change greater than 100. Nonmanufacturing employment decreased by 1,400 jobs to 150,700 over the month with the largest monthly decreases reported in services (-800), construction (-600), and

retail trade (-500). Slight increases were reported in government (+300) and transportation, communication, and utilities (+200), both of which reached record levels of employment. The largest employment growth over the year occurred in retail trade (+2,200), local government (+1,600), services (+1,300), and transportation, communication, and utilities (+1,100).

ESTIMATED NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT (in thousands) *

INDUSTRY	January 1988	December 1988	January 1989	Net Change	
				Jan. 1988 to Jan. 1989	Dec. 1988 to Jan. 1989
				Jan. 1988 to Jan. 1989	Dec. 1988 to Jan. 1989
TOTAL	190.4	199.7	198.3	7.9	-1.4
Manufacturing	46.9	47.6	47.6	0.7	0.0
Durable Goods	17.7	17.6	17.5	-0.2	-0.1
Lumber & Wood Products	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.0	0.0
Stone, Clay, Glass, & Concrete	1.5	1.1	1.1	-0.4	0.0
Primary Metal Industries	3.8	3.9	3.9	0.1	0.0
Fabricated Metal Products	3.9	4.2	4.1	0.2	-0.1
Machinery, Except Electrical	2.4	2.0	2.0	-0.4	0.0
All Other Durable Goods	5.5	5.8	5.8	0.3	0.0
Nondurable Goods	29.3	29.9	30.1	0.8	0.2
Food & Kindred Products	6.9	7.0	7.0	0.1	0.0
Textile Mill Products	12.5	12.1	12.1	-0.4	0.0
Knitting Mills	2.6	2.6	2.6	0.0	0.0
Apparel Products	1.2	1.4	1.3	0.1	-0.1
Paper & Allied Products	1.8	2.0	2.0	0.2	0.0
Printing, Publishing, & Allied Ind.	2.1	2.2	2.2	0.1	0.0
Chemicals & Allied Products	3.6	3.7	3.7	0.1	0.0
All Other Nondurable Goods	1.1	1.7	1.8	0.7	0.1
Nonmanufacturing	143.5	152.1	150.7	7.2	-1.4
Mining	0.6	0.5	0.5	-0.1	0.0
Construction	7.3	8.6	8.0	0.7	-0.6
Trans., Communication, & Utilities	8.4	9.3	9.5	1.1	0.2
Trade	43.5	46.4	45.8	2.3	-0.6
Wholesale Trade	10.4	10.6	10.5	0.1	-0.1
Wholesale Durable Goods	6.5	6.6	6.6	0.1	0.0
Wholesale Nondurable Goods	3.9	4.0	3.9	0.0	-0.1
Retail Trade	33.1	35.8	35.3	2.2	-0.5
Finance, Insurance, & Real Estate	12.4	12.7	12.7	0.3	0.0
Services	37.0	39.1	38.3	1.3	-0.8
Government -	34.3	35.6	35.9	1.6	0.3
Federal	10.4	9.6	9.8	-0.6	0.2
State & Local	23.9	26.0	26.0	2.1	0.0
State	5.7	6.2	6.3	0.5	0.1
Local	18.1	19.7	19.7	1.6	0.0

* Includes Hamilton, Marion, and Sequatchie counties in Tennessee and Catoosa, Dade, and Walker counties in Georgia.

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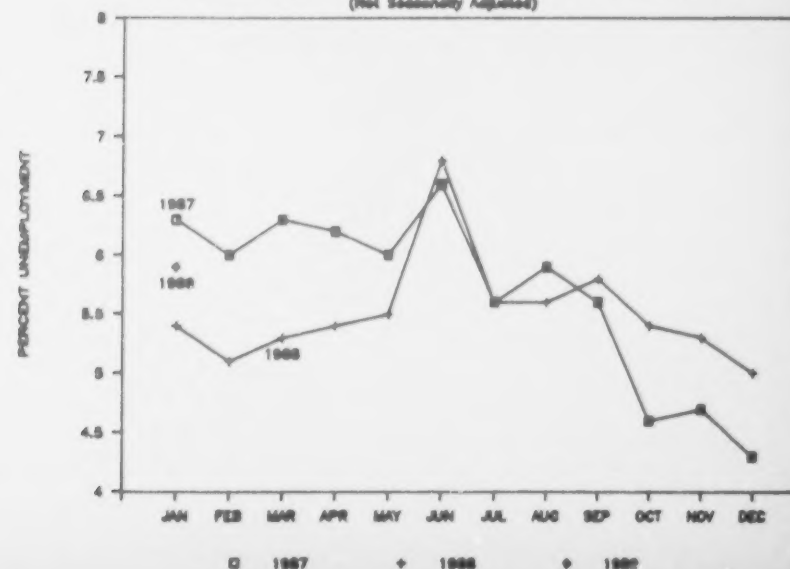
HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS

CHATTANOOGA MSA

	Average Weekly Earnings			Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings		
	Jan. 1988	Dec. 1988	Jan. 1989	Jan. 1988	Dec. 1988	Jan. 1989	Jan. 1988	Dec. 1988	Jan. 1989
	1988	1988	1989	1988	1988	1989	1988	1988	1989
All Manufacturing	352.56	356.79	335.30	45.2	43.3	41.6	7.80	8.24	8.06
Durable Goods	360.04	394.85	367.28	41.1	43.2	41.5	8.76	9.14	8.85
Stone, Clay, Glass, & Conc.	331.26	371.52	303.43	37.6	43.2	37.6	8.81	8.60	8.07
Iron & Steel Foundries	420.71	440.38	421.77	44.1	47.2	45.4	9.54	9.33	9.29
Fabricated Metal Products	445.72	490.56	453.48	43.4	44.8	42.5	10.27	10.95	10.67
Machinery, Except Elect.	465.47	519.21	490.06	49.1	44.6	42.8	9.48	12.09	11.45
Nondurable Goods	348.21	335.05	316.58	47.7	43.4	41.6	7.30	7.72	7.61
Textile Mill Products	345.24	334.82	321.55	54.8	47.9	46.4	6.30	6.99	6.93
Knitting Mills	236.74	226.98	237.41	41.1	38.8	39.9	5.76	5.85	5.95
Paper & Allied Products	507.16	500.41	487.91	46.7	50.7	48.5	10.86	9.87	10.06
Chemicals & Allied Prod.	446.02	431.40	385.84	40.4	38.9	36.4	11.04	11.09	10.60

CHATTANOOGA MSA UNEMPLOYMENT RATES

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)



JOHNSON CITY, KINGSPORT AND BRISTOL MSA

Total nonagricultural employment in the Tri-Cities MSA decreased by 3,100 jobs to 164,000 from December 1988 to January 1989. This figure was 4,800 greater than the January 1988 level of 159,200. Manufacturing employment increased slightly by 200 jobs over the month to 54,300 with no industry reporting a change greater than 100. Nonmanufacturing

employment decreased by 3,300 jobs over the month to 109,700 with the largest decrease reported in retail trade (-2,500) due to seasonal factors. Record levels of employment were reached in machinery and transportation equipment; services; and finance, insurance, and real estate during January.

ESTIMATED NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT (in thousands)*

INDUSTRY	January 1988	December 1988	January 1989	Net Change	
				Jan. 1988 to	Dec. 1988 to
				Jan. 1989	Jan. 1989
TOTAL	159.2	167.1	164.0	4.8	-3.1
Manufacturing	52.2	54.1	54.3	2.1	0.2
Durable Goods	21.0	22.2	22.2	1.2	0.0
Lumber & Wood Products and Furniture & Fixtures	2.0	2.3	2.3	0.3	0.0
Stone, Clay, Glass, & Concrete	2.3	2.5	2.4	0.1	-0.1
Fabricated Metal Products	2.3	2.5	2.4	0.1	-0.1
Machinery and Trans. Equipment	10.4	11.1	11.2	0.8	0.1
All other Durable Goods	3.9	3.9	3.9	0.0	0.0
Nondurable Goods	31.2	32.0	32.1	0.9	0.1
Food & Kindred Products	2.4	2.5	2.5	0.1	0.0
Textile Mill Products	2.7	2.5	2.5	-0.2	0.0
Apparel Products	4.4	4.4	4.4	0.0	0.0
Paper & Allied Products and Printing, Publishing, Allied Ind.	5.6	6.1	6.1	0.5	0.0
All other Nondurable Goods	16.1	16.3	16.6	0.5	0.3
Nonmanufacturing	107.0	113.0	109.7	2.7	-3.3
Mining	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.0
Construction	6.5	7.0	6.6	0.1	-0.4
Trans., Communication, & Utilities	6.1	6.3	6.3	0.2	0.0
Trade	26.1	28.5	25.9	-0.2	-2.6
Wholesale Trade	6.9	7.0	6.9	0.0	-0.1
Retail Trade	29.1	31.5	29.0	-0.1	-2.5
Finance, Insurance, & Real Estate	5.1	5.4	5.5	0.4	0.1
Services	29.2	31.0	31.2	2.0	0.2
Government	23.3	24.4	23.8	0.1	-0.6
Federal	4.4	4.5	4.5	0.1	0.0
State & Local	19.3	19.9	19.3	0.0	-0.6
State	4.7	5.5	5.5	0.8	0.0
Local	14.6	14.4	13.8	-0.8	-0.6

* Includes Washington, Carter, Unicoi, Sullivan, and Hawkins counties in Tennessee and Washington County, Scott County, and Bristol City in Virginia.

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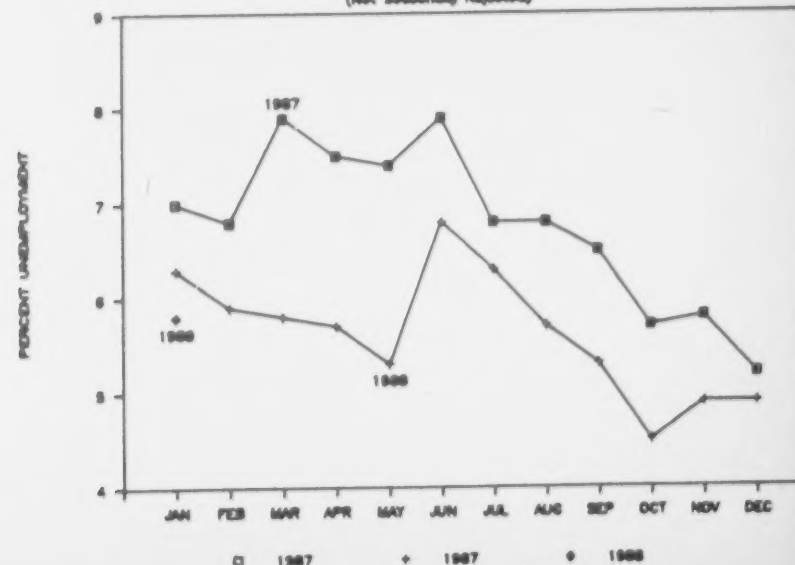
HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS

TRI-CITIES MSA

	Average Weekly Earnings			Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings		
	Jan. 1988	Dec. 1988	Jan. 1989	Jan. 1988	Dec. 1988	Jan. 1989	Jan. 1988	Dec. 1988	Jan. 1989
	1988	1988	1989	1988	1988	1989	1988	1988	1989
All Manufacturing	427.59	437.85	413.33	45.2	45.8	43.1	9.46	9.56	9.59
Durable Goods	426.85	389.90	392.49	47.8	46.2	44.5	8.93	8.44	8.82
Fabricated Metal Prod.	490.78	461.75	422.17	42.9	48.3	46.7	11.46	9.56	9.04
Machinery & Trans. Equip.	506.18	424.76	439.72	55.2	48.6	45.9	9.17	8.74	9.58
Nondurable Goods	428.04	470.47	427.32	43.5	45.5	42.1	9.84	10.34	10.15
Food & Kindred Products	349.44	368.33	349.77	39.0	41.2	39.3	8.96	8.94	8.90
Apparel Products	243.95	248.33	241.88	42.5	47.3	44.1	5.74	5.25	5.46

TRI-CITIES MSA UNEMPLOYMENT RATES

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)



KNOXVILLE MSA

Total nonagricultural employment in the Knoxville MSA decreased by 3,500 jobs to 256,200 from December 1988 to January 1989. This figure was 4,700 greater than the January 1988 level of 251,500. Manufacturing employment decreased by 600 jobs to 53,500 with the largest monthly decrease reported in all other durable goods (-200). Nonmanufacturing

employment decreased by 2,900 jobs over the month with the largest decreases reported in retail trade (-600), construction (-1,400), and services (-400), due to seasonal factors. The largest employment growth over the year occurred in services (+4,200) which experienced an 8.0 percent growth.

ESTIMATED NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT (in thousands)*

INDUSTRY	January 1988	December 1988	January 1989	Net Change	
				Jan. 1988 to	Dec. 1988 to
				Jan. 1989	Jan. 1989
TOTAL	251.5	259.2	256.2	4.7	-3.5
Manufacturing	52.6	54.1	53.5	0.9	-0.6
Durable Goods	30.5	31.8	31.5	1.0	-0.3
Lumber & Wood Products	2.3	1.9	1.9	-0.4	0.0
Furniture & Fixtures	2.3	3.4	3.3	1.0	-0.1
Stone, Clay, Glass, & Concrete	1.7	1.8	1.7	0.0	-0.1
Machinery, Except Electrical	2.0	2.1	2.1	0.1	0.0
All Other Durable Goods	22.2	22.7	22.5	0.3	-0.2
Nondurable Goods	22.1	22.3	22.0	-0.1	-0.3
Food & Kindred Products	4.0	4.1	4.0	0.0	-0.1
Textile Mill Products	3.1	2.4	2.3	-0.8	-0.1
Apparel Products	9.0	9.6	9.6	0.5	0.0
Printing, Publishing, & Allied Ind.	2.9	3.1	3.0	0.1	-0.1
All Other Nondurable Goods	3.1	3.1	3.1	0.0	0.0
Nonmanufacturing	198.9	205.6	202.7	3.8	-2.9
Mining	1.7	1.7	1.7	0.0	0.0
Construction	12.0	12.7	11.3	-0.7	-1.4
Trans., Communication, & Utilities	9.9	10.1	10.1	0.2	0.0
Trade	62.4	64.8	63.9	1.5	-0.9
Wholesale Trade	15.0	15.2	14.9	-0.1	-0.3
Wholesale Durable Goods	9.1	9.3	9.2	0.1	-0.1
Wholesale Nondurable Goods	5.9	6.0	5.7	-0.2	-0.3
Retail Trade	47.4	49.6	49.0	1.6	-0.6
Finance, Insurance, & Real Estate	9.6	10.0	9.9	0.3	-0.1
Services	52.4	57.0	56.6	4.2	-0.4
Government	50.9	49.5	49.2	-1.7	-0.3
Federal	9.4	8.6	8.5	-2.9	-0.1
State & Local	41.6	42.9	42.7	1.1	-0.2
State	20.1	20.9	20.8	0.7	-0.1
Local	21.5	22.0	21.9	0.4	-0.1

* Includes Anderson, Blount, Grainger, Jefferson, Knox, Sevier, and Union counties.

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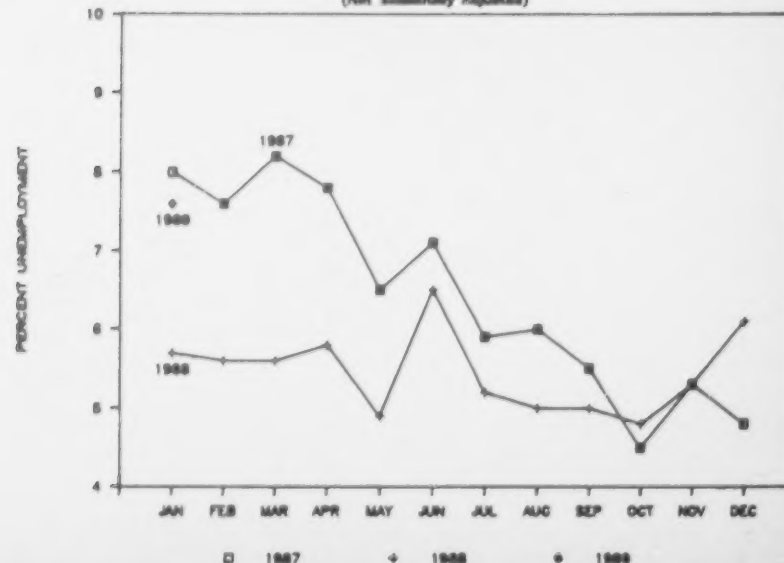
HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS

KNOXVILLE MSA

	Average Weekly Earnings			Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings		
	Jan. 1988	Dec. 1988	Jan. 1989	Jan. 1988	Dec. 1988	Jan. 1989	Jan. 1988	Dec. 1988	Jan. 1989
	1988	1988	1989	1988	1988	1989	1988	1988	1989
All Manufacturing	380.52	359.07	339.99	42.0	40.3	38.9	9.06	8.91	8.74
Durable Goods	450.84	416.58	388.09	44.2	41.7	40.3	10.20	9.99	9.63
Stone, Clay, Glass, & Conc.	316.92	312.08	298.56	38.0	37.6	35.5	8.34	8.30	8.41
Machinery, Except Elect.	456.49	408.04	405.86	47.8	44.4	44.6	9.55	9.19	9.10
Nondurable Goods	285.87	279.90	273.43	39.0	38.5	37.1	7.33	7.27	7.37
Food & Kindred Products	327.83	284.57	287.63	42.3	38.3	38.3	7.75	7.43	7.51
Textile Mill Products	239.13	268.51	294.55	38.2	41.5	43.0	6.26	6.47	6.85
Apparel Products	272.68	252.18	237.00	40.1	38.5	35.8	6.80	6.55	6.62

KNOXVILLE MSA UNEMPLOYMENT RATES

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)



MEMPHIS MSA

Total nonagricultural employment in the Memphis MSA decreased by 2,500 jobs to 437,500 from December 1988 to January 1989. This figure was 17,900 greater than the January 1988 level of 419,600. Manufacturing employment decreased by 500 jobs over the month with no industry reporting a change greater than 100. Nonmanufacturing employment

decreased by 2,000 jobs over the month with the largest decreases reported in retail trade (-2,000) and services (-500) due to seasonal factors. The largest monthly increase was reported in government (+600) which reached a record level of 72,100.

ESTIMATED NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT (in thousands) *

INDUSTRY	January 1988	December 1988	January 1989	Net Change	
				Jan. 1988 Dec. 1988	to to
				Jan. 1989 Jan. 1989	Jan. 1989
TOTAL	419.6	440.0	437.5	17.9	-2.5
Manufacturing	53.5	54.6	54.1	0.6	-0.5
Durable Goods	28.3	23.9	23.7	0.4	-0.2
Lumber & Wood Products	2.5	2.5	2.5	0.0	0.0
Sawmills & Planing Mills	1.1	1.1	1.1	0.0	0.0
Furniture & Fixtures	1.8	1.8	1.7	-0.1	-0.1
Fabricated Metal Products	3.3	5.4	5.3	0.0	-0.1
Machinery, Except Electrical	4.8	4.7	4.7	0.1	0.0
Electrical & Electronic Machinery	3.3	3.2	3.3	0.0	0.1
All Other Durable Goods	3.8	6.3	6.2	0.4	-0.1
Nondurable Goods	30.2	30.7	30.4	0.2	-0.1
Food & Kindred Products	8.1	7.8	7.8	-0.3	0.0
Bakery Products	1.4	1.3	1.3	-0.1	0.0
Apparel Products	1.9	1.8	1.7	-0.2	-0.1
Paper & Allied Products	6.1	6.4	6.3	0.2	-0.1
Printing, Publishing, & Allied Ind.	3.2	3.4	3.3	0.1	-0.1
Chemicals & Allied Products	6.9	7.1	7.2	0.3	0.1
All Other Nondurable Goods	2.0	2.2	2.1	0.1	-0.1
Nonmanufacturing	366.1	385.4	383.4	17.3	-2.0
Mining	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0
Construction	16.4	18.3	18.2	1.8	-0.1
Trans., Communication, & Utilities	39.6	41.7	41.5	1.9	-0.2
Trade	114.0	120.6	118.6	4.6	-2.0
Wholesale Trade	35.3	36.3	36.3	1.0	0.0
Wholesale Durable Goods	21.9	22.5	22.6	0.7	0.1
Wholesale Nondurable Goods	13.4	13.8	13.7	0.3	-0.1
Retail Trade	78.7	84.3	82.3	3.6	-2.0
Finance, Insurance, & Real Estate	24.3	25.1	25.3	1.0	0.2
Services	100.4	108.1	107.6	7.2	-0.5
Government	71.3	71.5	72.1	0.8	0.6
Federal	18.8	18.5	18.9	0.1	0.4
State & Local	52.5	53.0	53.2	0.7	0.2
State	13.3	13.4	13.5	0.2	0.1
Local	39.2	39.6	39.7	0.5	0.1

Includes Shelby and Tipton counties in Tennessee and Crittendon County in Arkansas.

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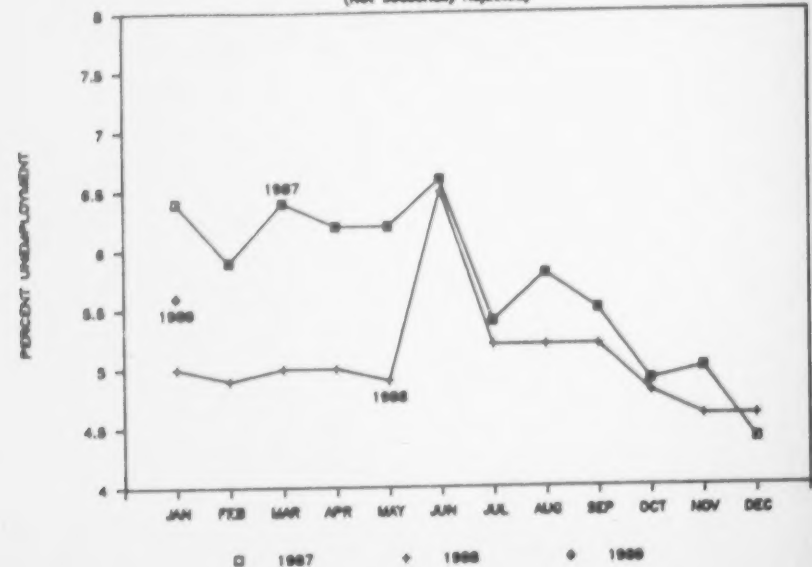
HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS

MEMPHIS MSA

	Average Weekly Earnings ¹			Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings		
	Jan. 1988	Dec. 1988	Jan. 1989	Jan. 1988	Dec. 1988	Jan. 1989	Jan. 1988	Dec. 1988	Jan. 1989
	1988	1988	1989	1988	1988	1989	1988	1988	1989
All Manufacturing	396.52	389.85	396.35	43.1	42.1	42.3	9.20	9.26	9.37
Durable Goods	344.35	336.35	350.38	40.8	39.9	40.6	8.44	8.48	8.63
Lumber & Wood Products	231.66	246.13	236.86	40.5	42.5	41.7	5.72	5.65	5.68
Furniture & Fixtures	199.44	250.67	253.74	36.0	44.2	43.9	5.54	5.94	5.78
Nondurable Goods	448.55	440.23	443.21	45.4	44.2	44.1	9.88	9.96	10.05
Food & Kindred Products	359.55	377.63	368.10	42.4	47.5	45.0	8.48	7.95	8.18
Paper & Allied Products	589.65	566.93	541.62	52.6	49.6	45.9	11.21	11.43	11.80
Chemicals & Allied Prod.	598.89	537.73	561.14	49.7	41.3	45.4	12.05	13.02	12.36

MEMPHIS MSA UNEMPLOYMENT RATES

(Not Seasonally Adjusted)



NASHVILLE MSA

Total nonagricultural employment in the Nashville MSA decreased by 5,600 jobs to 483,200 from December 1988 to January 1989. This figure was 7,700 greater than the January 1988 level of 475,500. Manufacturing employment decreased by 300 jobs over the month with the largest increase reported in lumber (+200). Nonmanufacturing employment decreased by

5,300 jobs to 392,500 over the month with the largest decreases reported in retail trade (-2,500), services (-1,700), construction (-600), and government (-600). The largest employment increase over the year occurred in services (+3,800) which experienced a 3.3 percent growth.

ESTIMATED NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT (in thousands) *

INDUSTRY	January 1988	December 1988	January 1989	Net Change	
				Jan. 1988 to Jan. 1989	Dec. 1988 to Jan. 1989
TOTAL	475.5	488.8	483.2	7.7	-5.6
Manufacturing	89.1	91.0	90.7	1.6	-0.3
Durable Goods	50.3	51.2	51.0	0.7	-0.2
Lumber & Wood Products	2.3	2.3	2.5	0.2	0.2
Furniture & Fixtures	4.0	4.4	4.4	0.4	0.0
Fabricated Metal Products	7.8	8.5	8.4	0.6	-0.1
Machinery	15.4	16.5	16.4	1.0	-0.1
Transportation Equipment	17.3	18.4	18.4	1.1	0.0
All Other Durable Goods	8.3	9.0	8.9	0.6	-0.1
Nondurable Goods	38.8	39.8	39.7	0.9	-0.1
Food & Kindred Products	7.2	7.6	7.6	0.4	0.0
Textile Mill Products	1.7	1.8	1.8	0.1	0.0
Apparel Products	4.1	3.4	3.4	-0.7	0.0
Printing, Publishing, & Allied Ind.	13.5	14.0	13.4	0.4	-0.1
Petroleum and Rubber	4.8	5.1	5.1	0.3	0.0
Leather & Leather Products	1.9	1.9	1.8	-0.1	-0.1
All Other Nondurable Goods	5.8	5.9	6.0	0.2	0.1
Nonmanufacturing	386.4	397.8	392.5	6.1	-5.3
Mining	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.0	-0.1
Construction	25.1	26.6	26.0	0.9	-0.6
Trans., Communication, & Utilities	24.0	24.2	24.4	0.4	0.2
Trade	118.9	119.9	117.2	-1.7	-2.7
Wholesale Trade	30.3	30.9	30.7	0.4	-0.2
Wholesale Durable Goods	18.5	18.6	18.5	0.0	-0.1
Wholesale Nondurable Goods	11.7	12.3	12.2	0.5	-0.1
Retail Trade	88.6	89.0	86.5	-2.1	-2.5
Finance, Insurance, & Real Estate	33.9	34.8	34.8	0.9	0.0
Services & Miscellaneous	118.1	121.8	120.1	2.0	-1.7
Government	67.3	69.9	69.3	2.0	-0.6
Federal	10.1	10.1	10.3	0.2	0.2
State & Local	57.2	59.8	59.0	1.8	-0.8
State	23.2	23.5	23.1	0.0	-0.4
Local	34.0	36.3	35.9	1.9	-0.4

*Includes Cheatham, Davidson, Dickson, Robertson, Rutherford, Sumner, Williamson, and Wilson counties.

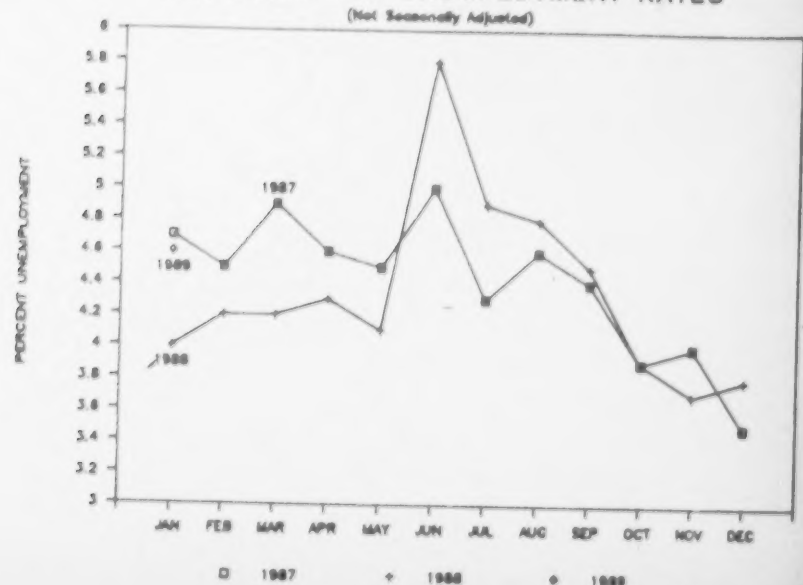
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HOURS AND EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS

	Average Weekly Earnings			Average Weekly Hours			Average Hourly Earnings		
	Jan. 1988	Dec. 1988	Jan. 1989	Jan. 1988	Dec. 1988	Jan. 1989	Jan. 1988	Dec. 1988	Jan. 1989
All Manufacturing	435.96	460.91	444.33	42.0	42.6	41.6	10.38	10.82	10.63
Durable Goods	459.31	482.78	475.31	42.1	42.8	42.1	10.91	11.28	11.29
Nondurable Goods	399.19	426.81	399.10	41.8	42.3	41.4	9.55	10.09	9.64
Food & Kindred Products	437.15	473.90	391.23	42.9	41.6	39.8	10.19	10.19	9.83
Printing & Publishing	463.76	434.89	435.16	39.2	41.3	43.0	10.30	10.53	10.12

NASHVILLE MSA UNEMPLOYMENT RATES



U.S. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX

JANUARY 1989												
Group	All urban consumers			Wage earners & clerical workers			All urban consumers			Wage earners & clerical workers		
	UNITED STATES	Unadjusted percent change to Jan. 1989 from		UNITED STATES	Unadjusted percent change to Jan. 1989 from		MIAMI	Unadjusted percent change to Jan. 1989 from		MIAMI	Unadjusted percent change to Jan. 1989 from	
		Jan. 1988	Dec. 1988		Jan. 1988	Dec. 1988		Jan. 1988	Nov. 1988		Jan. 1988	Nov. 1988
All items (1982=100)...	121.1	4.7	0.5	119.7	4.5	0.4	120.0	4.8	1.4	118.8	4.4	1.4
All items (1967=100)...	362.7	-	-	356.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All items (Nov. 1977=100)...	-	-	-	-	-	-	193.4	-	-	193.1	-	-
Food and beverages.....	122.0	5.4	1.2	121.7	5.5	1.2	122.3	6.5	0.5	122.7	7.4	0.7
Food.....	122.2	5.6	1.2	121.9	5.6	1.2	123.5	7.1	0.6	123.5	7.7	0.7
Food at home.....	121.2	6.2	1.8	120.8	6.2	1.7	119.9	8.8	0.5	120.2	9.2	0.8
Food away from home.....	124.7	4.5	0.5	124.6	4.6	0.5	129.3	5.5	0.6	130.4	5.5	0.6
Alcoholic beverages.....	120.3	3.9	0.3	119.8	3.6	0.3	112.0	2.8	-0.1	109.8	2.4	-0.2
Housing.....	120.7	3.9	0.4	119.0	3.8	0.4	115.2	3.0	1.6	115.3	2.8	1.4
Shelter.....	129.8	4.2	0.4	126.9	4.1	0.3	116.6	5.5	1.7	116.6	5.0	1.3
Renters' costs ¹ 1/2.....	135.2	3.4	0.8	120.7	3.3	0.6	120.9	7.8	4.0	114.5	5.8	2.6
Rent, residential.....	130.5	3.6	0.3	130.1	3.5	0.3	112.6	2.3	0	112.6	2.3	0
Apparel and upkeep.....	115.1	4.4	-2.3	114.8	4.1	-2.4	131.0	10.1	3.1	129.2	8.8	2.9
Transportation.....	111.1	3.7	0.3	110.7	3.7	0.3	113.9	4.7	1.4	112.0	4.3	1.4
Medical care.....	143.8	7.0	1.1	144.2	7.1	1.0	137.9	4.9	0.9	136.2	4.4	1.0
Entertainment.....	123.8	4.0	0.8	123.1	4.9	0.7	116.0	0.7	3.6	116.9	0.9	4.5
Other goods & services.....	143.4	7.5	1.5	141.0	7.8	1.7	137.6	4.8	0.7	136.6	4.9	0.8
Purchasing power of the dollar: 1982=100	\$ 826	-4.4	-0.5	\$ 835	-4.4	-0.5	\$ 833	-4.6	-1.4	\$ 842	-4.2	-1.3
Percent change to Jan. 1989 from --												
Dec. 1977=100												
Group size	All items	Percent change to Jan. 1989 from --		Dec. 1977=100	All items	Percent change to Jan. 1989 from --		Dec. 1977=100				
		Jan. 1982	Dec. 1988			Jan. 1982	Dec. 1988					
SOUTH (1982=100).....	118.9	4.2	0.3	192.8	118.3	4.1	0.3	191.7				
Less than 50,000 pop.....	116.9	3.6	0.5	189.8	117.7	3.7	0.6	190.5				
50,000-450,000 pop.....	117.8	4.0	0.2	190.7	118.4	4.2	0.3	191.7				
450,000-1,200,000 pop.....	119.9	4.4	0.2	195.7	117.9	4.4	0.1	191.1				
1,200,000 or more pop.....	119.7	4.2	0.5	192.2	118.8	4.1	0.2	192.5				
1/2 U.S. base year is Dec. 1982 for CPI-U, Dec. 1984 for CPI-W. Miami base year is Nov. 1982 for CPI-U, Nov. 1984 for CPI-W.												
ATLANTA, GEORGIA CPI-U												
Group	Index	Percent change to 2nd half 1988 from		Index	Percent change to 2nd half 1988 from							
	2nd half 1988	2nd half 1987	1st half 1988	2nd half 1988	2nd half 1987	1st half 1988						
All items (1982=100)...	121.7	3.6	2.7	120.1	3.7	2.5						
All items (1967=100)...	361.1	-	-	361.1	-	-						

U.S. base year is Dec. 1982 for CPI-U; Dec. 1984 for CPI-W. Miami base year is Nov. 1982 for CPI-U; Nov. 1984 for CPI-W.

Group	ATLANTA, GEORGIA CPI-U			ATLANTA, GEORGIA CPI-W		
	Index	Percent change to 2nd half 1988 from	Index	Percent change to 2nd half 1988 from	Index	Percent change to 2nd half 1988 from
	2nd half 1988	2nd half 1987	1st half 1988	2nd half 1988	2nd half 1987	1st half 1988
All items (1982=100)...	121.7	3.6	7.7	120.1	3.7	2.5
All items (1967=100)...	361.1			363.1		



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